GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1855
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TRANSPORTATION FACILITY OF COAL AT PARADEEP PORT
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the project for creation of mechanised coal handling transport facilities at Paradip Port for thermal Power Plants is funded by Asian Development Bank;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the cost of the Paradeep port project; and

(d) the target date for the completion of the project?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b)&(c): The entire cost of the project is Rs.831.11 crores including Asian Development Bank (ADB) assistance of Rs.550.00 crores.

(d) The project has started trial run and is expected to be operational by September, 2001.